

DRAFT Data Sheet E – Results of Internal Review Committee

Date of Review/Recommendation: April 29, 2009

Water Body Under Evaluation:

Water Body ID #: 1300
Name: Mound Branch (Class C)
Length of Segment: 10 miles
County(ies): Bates

Use Attainability Analysis (UAA) Study:

UAA ID #: 0840
Submitter: SES, Inc.
Date(s) Conducted: May 12, 2008
Date Received: May 28, 2008
Use Evaluated: Whole Body Contact Recreation (WBCR)

UAA Criteria Evaluated:

- ☐ 1-Natural Pollutant Sources.
- ☒ 2-Natural, Ephemeral, Intermittent or Low-Flow Condition.
- ☐ 3-Non-Remedial, Human Caused Condition.
- ☐ 4-Hydrologic Modifications.
- ☐ 5-Natural Physical Features.
- ☐ 6-Substantial, Widespread Social and Economic Impact.

Use Determination & Recommendation:

Has the use existed since November 28, 1975? ☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unknown

Comments: The UAA survey was conducted in May 2008 and no WBCR was observed. No interviews were conducted during the survey, and no comments were received. Comments from 2005 UAA cite swimming, fishing and wading.

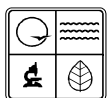
Is the evaluated use attainable? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Comments: The stream met the maximum depth criterion at 5 out of 5 sites evaluated and met the median depth criterion at 4 out of 5 sites evaluated. Due to the stream meeting the depth criteria, along with documented swimming use, the committee recommends the WBCR use designation be retained. Due to documented evidence of secondary contact, the committee also recommends Secondary Contact Recreation be assigned.

Committee Recommendation:

- ☐ Add Use
- ☒ Retain Use
- ☐ Remove Use
- ☐ Modify Use
- ☐ Inconclusive

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